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## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

November 9, 2006

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

In response to the most final Office Action in this case mailed on August 9, 2006, the Applicants' attorney requests amendment of the above-referenced application as follows.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.

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